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PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN APPLICATION OF)
HENGCHEN LIN ET AL) GROUP NO: 1616
SERIAL NO.: 10/023,100)
FILED: DECEMBER 17, 2001) EXAMINER: S. CLARDY
TITLE: METHOD OF AND)
COMPOSITIONS FOR)
PLANT DEFOLIATION) RESPONSE TO PAPER NO. 3

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(A) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Amendment filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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Signature

May 19, 2003

Date

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Please charge the fee for response within the third month, \$410 .00, to Deposit Account Number 50-2510. This paper is also authorization to charge any insufficiency of fees due with this filing to Deposit Account Number 50-2510. Triplicate copies of this paper are attached.

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